



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Applicant: Creek, R.E.  
Serial No: 10/601,400  
Filed: June 23, 2003  
For: APPARATUS FOR CONSTRUCTING A THIN FILM MIRROR  
Group: 2872  
Examiner: Shafer, Ricky D.  
Docket No: GJ-243J

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

Applicant respectfully petitions that he be granted an extension of time within the first month, until January 17, 2005, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a), and 1.7, to file a Response to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2004. Our check in the amount of \$60.00 is enclosed for the fee for a large entity to obtain this extension.

If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, (781) 890-5678.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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